

associate justices. While it expressly disavows a determination of whether or not Schmitz is De Jure Mayor (i.e., Mayor in right), no cleverness is required to see that the court does not think he is. In fact, the standing of Dr. Taylor as *de facto* Mayor (i.e., Mayor *in fact*) is confirmed. One of the unstated effects of the opinion is to uphold the legality of Dr. Taylor's Board of Supervisors and discourage Mr. Schmitz's recent ap- pointedness from any further efforts to claim his rights.

The gist of the opinion in a nutshell is that the conviction of Schmitz of the felony of extortion ousted him from the Mayoralty and the pendency of his appeal does not bar a capacitated person from stepping into the vacancy.

ISSUE PLAINLY STATED.

The opinion is in substance as follows:

"This is an application for a writ of habeas corpus to compel the allowance of a claim for release on the ground of the Mayoralty of San Francisco. There are two persons claiming to be Mayor de jure of the city, and each is assuming to act in the capacity. Each has appointed a secretary, both of whom have given up their claims for salary for the month of July, 1906. The Auditor cannot approve more than one claim, and being uncertain which is valid, refuses to approve either."

After reviewing at some length the facts from which the dispute arose, the court says:

"The question we have to decide is who is entitled to the salary of secretary to the Mayor for the last twenty-one days of July. Each of the contestants, H. C. McKinnay for Dr. Taylor and J. J. Doyle for Mr. Schmitz, has performed the duties of the office, so far as he has been allowed to do so—Boyle in the service of Mr. Schmitz and McKinnay in the service of Dr. Boxford and Dr. Taylor. Dr. Taylor has certified that Boyle's claim is correct, and Schmitz has certified that Boyle's claim is correct. The question, therefore, reduces itself to this: Who is Mayor of San Francisco?"

"Even though we are obliged to decide for the purposes of this and like cases who is *de facto* Mayor of San Francisco, we cannot determine by a judgment which would operate as an estoppel between Dr. Taylor and Mr. Schmitz, who is the *de jure* Mayor; however, little doubt there may be as to the proper decision of that question. And as to the title of secretary, we are not required to determine who is *de facto* Mayor; we shall have no difficulty in determining whose order the respondent must obey in the matter of allowing claims against the treasury."

CITY'S CLAIMS.

"The government of the city must come to a standstill if claims of public creditors cannot be paid, and many important matters essential to the public welfare must be left uncared for unless some person is recognized as properly entitled to exercise the varied and important functions pertaining to the office of Mayor."

Returning to the question—"Who is Mayor of San Francisco?" the court says:

"Dr. Taylor and Mr. Schmitz are each claiming to be at the same time the *de jure* and *de facto* Mayor. It will appear from the facts that each has some claim to be the *de facto* Mayor. Dr. Taylor is in possession of the official papers of the Board of Supervisors, the governing body of the city and county, and is recognized by that board as the rightful Mayor. Mr. Schmitz is in control through his secretary of the premises occupied by the Mayor at the date of his trial, and he is the *de jure* Mayor in the County Jail, where it is the duty of the Sheriff to keep him closely confined. Nevertheless, his right to act is maintained by some at least of the other city and county officers and by many private persons who resort to him for the purpose of his acting official business. He also is in possession of the official seal used by him up to the time of his conviction, while Dr. Taylor has been provided with a new seal."

"We cannot be two *de facto* incumbents of an office at the same time, and, where two are acting simultaneously, each under claim of right, that one alone will be recognized who appears to have the better legal title."

MAJOR DE JURE.

"For the purpose, therefore, of determining who is Mayor *de facto* of San Francisco, we must inquire who appears to be Mayor *de jure* of the city."

He adds that the Political Code and charter provisions making "commission of felony" as a cause creating a vacancy in the office of Mayor; and the court proceeds:

"Schmitz was convicted of the felony of extortion June 12. We are not prepared to say in what manner the entry of that verdict constitutes a 'conviction' in the sense of the statute, for here a vacancy was not declared by the Board of Supervisors, and Boxford was not elected until the 9th of July, after the entry of judgment" (passing of sentence) "on July 12, and he was duly certified to that date certainly, if not before, Mr. Schmitz was convicted. The event had occurred which, by the terms of the statute, and charter, created the office."

"The result is that a public officer convicted of a felony is placed by the verdict in a position and under a physical restraint which prevents him from performing his duty. Since a person in custody cannot administer a public office, he cannot be allowed to stand in the way of the appointment of one who can perform its duties."

RIGHTS OF PUBLIC.

"No one has a property right in an office, paramount to the public interest as defined by law. At all events, he is no longer able to render the services the public interests demand, he should give way to some one who can. An official who is declared insane is simply unfortunate, but he ceases to be an official; an innocent man who is unjustly convicted of a felony, ultimately succeeds in establishing his innocence, does not entitle him in the meantime to hold on to a public office when he is no longer capable of serving the public interest. Since a person in custody cannot administer a public office, he cannot be allowed to stand in the way of the appointment of one who can perform its duties."

"*REBukED BY LAWLOR.*

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"THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.; SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 19.—Delmas, 20 years old, son of E. H. Harriman, who is on a tour of the Northwest with his father, fired a Union Pacific locomotive all the way from Laramie to Rawlins, Wyo. Saturday night."

"It is ordered that the peremptory writ or mandate issue as prayed."

In a supplemental opinion, concurred in by Justices Sloss and Shaw, Justice Angelotti holds that the specific purpose of the charter provision naming felony as a cause creating a vacancy was "to create a vacancy in the office of Mayor upon rendition of verdict of guilty." The court holds that the imposition of sentence is not necessary to complete the conviction for the vacating purpose.

CHINESE REBELLION GROWING.

Berlin Hears Revolutionary Movement in Flower. Empire is Strengthening Daily.

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.; BERLIN, Aug. 19.—A Shanghai special says that the revolutionary movement is strengthening daily, and recent organizations are growing.

Thousands of Chinese escape the jurisdiction of the Chinese courts by staying within the foreign quarters. Provincial officials appear helpless to suppress the revolutionists.

THE TALKATIVE BRITISH ADMIRAL.



Supreme Court of Foresters, to be gone three weeks. His place with deputy Sheriff Montgomery was taken by Bailiff Commissioner Judge Hunt's department of the Superior Court.

CELL READY FOR BARRINGTON.

Boggs, Nobleman Will Be Taken to Penitentiary Wednesday to Begin Life Sentence.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.] ST. LOUIS, Aug. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] "Lord" Frederick Seymour Barrington, convicted slayer of James P. McCann, the Kentucky turfman, will be removed from the Clayton, St. Louis County, jail, Wednesday, to the State prison at Jefferson City to serve a life sentence.

The sheriff delayed the departure of his prisoner two days, as Barrington has a number of things to attend to before leaving the county. He has considerable property which he wishes to sell.

RAIL DISASTER.

CARS THROWN FROM TRACKS.

TWENTY PERSONS ARE INJURED SEVERAL SERIOUSLY.

Passenger Train on Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul Road Collides With Handcar on Twenty-Foot Embankment and Express and Mail Coach Go Into Ditch.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.] CEDAR RAPIDS (Iowa) Aug. 19.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Passenger train No. 2 on the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul Railroad was wrecked today at Keystone, thirty miles west of here.

Twenty persons were injured. Some serious hurt were: Deland, baggage master, probable fracture of skull; C. T. McElwain, express messenger; Carl Meissner, Oil, probably internally injured; F. C. Myers, postal clerk, scalp wound and internal injuries; David Marion, Marion, badly cut; F. W. Stockton, conductor, seriously; Frank Michael, fireman, badly scalded on leg.

It happened at the meeting held here in the interest of the campaign against county division. Some of the speeches were lengthy, so the gathering did not break up till after midnight this morning.

In a speech by County Auditor Wagner of San Bernardino, that officer referred to a remark which Dr. Shepherd of Pomona was reported to have made at a previous meeting in the county division camp.

Dr. Reid said he had not made such a remark.

Attorney Haskell said he had heard Shepherd make it.

"If you were sober, you would know I am something of the kind," said Dr. Shepherd.

Haskell rose from his seat and started to go toward Shepherd. It looked for a minute as if there would be a fight, but restraining hands stopped him.

Dr. Reid, San Bernardino county supervisor, spoke of the expense of the San Bernardino county Horticultural Commission, which had been referred to in the earlier meeting in the campaign. He said that the total of \$200 reported as the cost for a year included tents and supplies which would bring the actual cost for other items down to about \$11,000.

The wreck was caused by the train colliding with a handcar on a twenty-foot embankment. The express and mail cars went into the ditch.

CASTRO IS REAL ANGRY.

President of Venezuela Resents Invasion of His Dominion by Force of British Troops.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.] CARACAS (Venezuela) Aug. 19.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Retaliatory measures probably will be resorted to by the Venezuelan authorities as a result of the invasion of the Venezuelan territory by a force from British Guiana, headed by Capt. Coldes, and the seizure of 4000 pounds of ballast, the gun of the bullet tree, used for insulating, etc., at the point of guns.

Auditor Wagner of San Bernardino county spoke at length. He presented a chart showing the cost of the new county to be \$196,780 per year, which was not agreed with the estimates of the County Auditors of Riverside and Orange counties who estimate the cost of the new county at not exceeding \$100,000 per year.

In speaking of the cost of the San Bernardino County Horticultural Commission, Mr. Wagner said that body uses from eleven to fourteen ounces of cyanide to the tree while private fumigators use only from five to seven ounces.

As to the reported increase in the pay of San Bernardino County Surveyors, he said that they are given \$125 per month, but receive no mileage.

Auditor Wagner submitted a statement regarding the taxes paid by Daniel Durkee of San Dimas for property in San Bernardino county in 1892, and for the same property in 1902. He said that he (Wagner) with Mr. Durkee, Dr. Shepherd and Judge Oster, went to San Bernardino and Riverside together yesterday and examined the records.

The result of their findings was embodied in a statement signed by all four. It appeared that Wagner and Durkee were both in error as to the amount of taxes paid by Durkee, but the error of both was in part due to the assessments. In San Bernardino county in 1892, the property was assessed at \$5400. In Riverside county in 1892 the same property was assessed at \$16,300.

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WE DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES:
LONDON, Aug. 19.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Sir Edward Russell, the veteran officer, who has been at Cowes as president of the Royal Yacht Squadron, where he says the members treat him with less reverence than at any other club in the world, gives interesting details of the personal side of his family. He writes: "It is a serious thing that the popularity of the Prince of Wales does not increase year by year. The King gives me no recognition, and no other Prince has shown so complete a transformation from exuberant and shrewd taciturnity. No one can say that he is stupid or that he is bad man of business and I say no one can say as good a speech as ever was said. But as an individual he has shrunk into himself; what he has to do with an effort, which takes off all the time he probably intends to

possibility of the King is world wide. The only difficulty is to make him in conversation, because grows less distinct, and accent gets more guttural year. If you do not comprehend drift of what he says, he goes to the point. When they talk with their attendants and the King often forms his own trumpet and shouts down to his wife. Her amazement effectively conceals from the world how she really is. It is now generally known that with the Queen suffers depression."

THE STARS AND STRIPES.
URON FLAG
IS RESENTED.

ARMY WON'T ATTEND
FUNERAL IN CHURCH.

Two Years Ago Minister Would
New Bier of Veteran to Encourage
Stars and Stripes Was
and Comrades Decline.

WE DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES:
NEW YORK (N. J.) Aug. 19.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Grand Army circles are aroused over a communication sent to George T. Rowlee, master of Farrugut Post, by the Rev. George M. Dorwart, pastor of St. John's Church of the Holy Cross, in a reply to a letter sent to the Army by direction of the Rev. Mr. Rowlee, saying that the Grand Army would not attend the funeral service of a comrade at the Church of the Holy Communion. "We consider that there is no place for the American flag," Rev. Mr. Rowlee said in his letter, "and our experience at your church with the remains of Comrade Samuel Alton is still fresh in our memory." Mr. Dorwart wrote in his

departmental communication is an acknowledgment of facts and in no way an expression of calumny. In the interest of justice, I challenge you to produce evidence that I did not your post charge of the funeral of Mr.

responsibility for said invitation to the post to take part in the funeral of Comrade Alton, and I challenge you to prove to the contrary."

On the eve of the return of Rev. Mr. Rowlee, whom he agreed to permit to speak at the funeral, the reply of the Army will be considered at the meeting of the post.

BLACK HAND CHIEF CAUGHT.
"Kennedy Found by Officers in Bed and Manacled Before Being Awakened."

WE DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES:
NEW YORK (Pa.) Aug. 19.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Salvatore Bartolino, known as Sam Kennedy, and "King" Kennedy, by Italians, with being the chief at the Black Hand band in the Western Pennsylvania district, was caught in New York early this morning. He was found in bed and was manacled before he was awakened. Kennedy, the officers of the Italian community, with being implicated in many atrocious Black Hand crimes and larceny fled when a few rounds were made several times. They were tried in New York, where he was confined to his headquarters. Kennedy died at headquarters. Kennedy died eight months ago.

STARRED WHILE ASLEEP.
"Kennedy Found by Officers in Bed and Manacled Before Being Awakened."

WE DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES:
NEW YORK (Pa.) Aug. 19.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Amato Diblasio, 22, of Pittsburgh, was found to death early this morning. He was asleep, in an Italian restaurant, with being the police. They had been drinking and talking through the night. Diblasio was starved through the jugular vein and evidently he

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Boiled Corn Beef and Cabbage 20c
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A great embroidery value today, flounces, in well finished stitches, heavy Gothic edges, elaborate designs on either Swiss or Cambrie; these embroideries could not be bought in a regular way for less than \$1.25, \$1.50 or \$2. Blue Pencil price brings them to you at 35c today. Aisle 1. Hurry, they'll go like a flash.

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Half-Yearly \$1.00 Hat Sale

A Double Event Today

The twice-a-year sale of men's pants and men's hats at \$1.00 have joined forces with the Blue Pencil sale to make today a phenomenal trading day for men.

Men's Pants at \$1.00 Worth \$2.00, \$2.50 \$3.00 and \$3.50

The manufacturers have helped us, so that we can help you to buy splendid pants in sizes for men and youths at a mere fraction of their worth.

Both Stiff and Soft Hats Worth \$2.00 and \$2.50 \$1.00

The very latest blocks in the very best colors, styles that men will appreciate for fall wear. Here are telescopes, fedoras, aipines, Dakotas, Austins and every popular shape, including derbies in the very newest shapes, these in black.

TRADING ON THE CURB IN RECENT STOCK SLUMP.



BROKERS ON THE CURB.
Here is handled all the Standard Oil stock which gets on the market. Standard Oil being an unlimited stock, is, therefore, handled only on the curb. During the flurry in stocks last week, Standard Oil was one of the leaders in the downward rush and the men on the curb had an exceptionally busy time.

bled to death while struggling with his assailants.

It is the theory of the police that he is another victim of Black Hand vengeance.

REFUSES TO BE FLEECED.

Wealthy Italian Causes Arrest of Five Fellow-Countrymen for Attempted Blackmail.

BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES:
GRAPTON (W. Va.) Aug. 19.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Five Italians were captured today charged with attempting to extort \$75 from a wealthy countryman.

The victim gave \$10 yesterday, and made an appointment to pay the balance today. Instead he notified Squire Lilly, who laid a trap and caught the blackmailers when they came to get the money.

CALIFORNIAN IS DRUGGED.

Ranchman Living Near Los Angeles Beaten and Robbed While in Philadelphia.

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS-A.M.

PHILADELPHIA. Aug. 19.—John Schmidl, a wealthy ranchman living not far from Los Angeles was sandbagged, drugged and robbed here early this morning.

Two young men were arrested later and admitted they had drugged and robbed Schmidl.

The Californian said he had been knocked down on the street from behind, and on regaining consciousness found that a thousand dollars, all the money he had, was gone.

STREET FIGHT IS FATAL.

One Man Dies and His Friend Is Dying as Result of Battle in San Francisco.

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS-A.M.

SAN FRANCISCO. Aug. 19.—As the result of a desperate battle with knives, late last night, on Polson street, Joseph Valencia died at noon today, and Roy Taylor, a friend, is in a dying condition.

Valencia had walked home with John Raggio, after parting from him earlier in the evening. Five friends of Raggio appeared on the scene, and a fierce fight ensued. Valencia and Taylor were stabbed many times.

John Palosio and Joseph Rimanio, two of the men, were arrested and identified by Valencia before he died.

Profits have been thrown to the winds. It's clearance now at any price, that's good merchandising. We can't afford to carry over summer goods. Orders have been absolute. Clean up everything to make room for new fall goods arriving. This, a broad-gauge movement, will continue all this week and next; every day will be of bargain interest. Note the Tuesday list.

25c India Linon

FROM 8 TO 9

TUESDAY MORNING

Just 1000 yards of fine white India linon, the kind we sell regularly at 25c; for an hour, from 8 to 9, half price; no phone orders; none delivered. Only 12 yards to a customer. Third floor, 12½c.

12½c 1600 Dinner Plates 1c Each

LARGE SIZE, WORTH 10c

FROM 9 TO 10 A.M.

We are going to sell 1600 large size white dinner plates that are worth in the ordinary way 10c; beginning promptly at 9 o'clock, until 10, if they last that long. None delivered. This is a Blue Pencil bargain from the basement.

\$6.50 Toilet Sets \$4.98

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Best porcelain toilet sets, gold and white decorated, regular price \$6.50. Basement, today, \$4.98.

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6 TABLE TUMBLERS 24c—1 dozen different engravings, worth 40c; Blue Pencil price, set of 6, 24c.

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42c ELECTRIC IRONS \$3.75—No housekeeper should be without an electric iron. Don't confuse with the ones you see priced at \$3.00. Equal to most \$5.00 ones; \$4.25 our regular price. 3½ pound weight. Every one guaranteed to be perfect. Today, the Blue Pencil price, \$3.75; basement.

Black Taffeta Silk 69c

SELL NOW AT \$1.19, \$1.22

27, 30 AND 36 IN. WIDTHS—FROM 8 TO 9 ONLY

200 yards of guaranteed black taffeta silk, \$1.19, \$1.22 grades, very best black; look for the colored edge; 27, 30 and 36 in. None delivered. 69c only, from 8 to 9. Aisle 10.

36.inch Albatross

50c QUALITY

25c

FROM 8 TO 9

36 in. all wool albatross, full line of street and evening shades, the regular 50c grade; from 8 to 9, today, 25c. Aisle 11.

Remnants Dress Lining 6c yd.

COLORS AND BLACK

1000 remnants or dress linings, consisting of silk finished percales, glass cloth and sateen, all 36 in. widths, all colors and black; values up to 40c. From 9 to 10, today, 6c yard. Aisle 11.

Breakfast Food Free

WITH 8c PACKAGES

CORN OR WHEAT FLAKES

Crescent wheat and corn flakes, large 10c packages for a Tuesday extra; 8c each and one free with each first package. You can buy as many more packages as you like at 8c each. No free goods on telephone or mail orders. No deliveries except with other groceries.

CAN TABLE PEARS, large can, delicious, tender, fine flavored pears, 30c value

WHITE CHERRIES, large can white table cherries, 25c

THREE SALMON BELLYS, SALT, 25c

6 PICKLED HERRING, various kinds, delicatessen counter, 25c

DOZEN MATCHES, 3 boxes for 10c, large box parlor matches, similar to "Searchlight," dozen, 37c

3 LBS. WHITE FIGS, 25c

2 CANS IMPORTED SARDINES, 1 LB. BLOOPER'S COCOA, 75c kind, 67c

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George Broadhurst's "The Man of the Hour" Scores Great Success in San Francisco.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS-P.M.) SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 19.—"The Man of the Hour," George Broadhurst's new play, was presented at the Van Ness Theater tonight for the benefit of the Red Cross, raising here direct from New York City, and it scored an instantaneous success.

Those of the players who made personal hits were Frederick Perry as the Mayor, Ruby Bridges as the heiress, Mrs. Folger as the mother, Fred Hendricks as Horrigan, the boss, and Frank Sheridan as the financier.

The play deals with the question of graft in city politics, and, although it is said to have been written around New York, it was presented to the audience this evening at once, applied it locally. In fact, Joseph R. Grimes, one of the owners, who is here with the attraction, was accused of rewriting the play to fit the condition of graft that existed here, but he positively denies and claims it is presented here in exactly the same manner as in New York City. The audience was a representative one and it attended not only the leaders in society but many of the prominent politicians, including Mayor Taylor, ex-Mayor Phelan, Dist. Atty. Hickey, Judge Lawlor, Judge Dunne, Chief of Police Dinan, and ex-Congressman Liverash.

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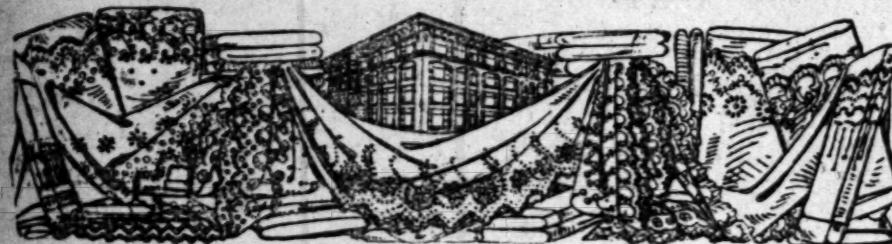
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A "different" sale. The thousands who shared the great savings of the first week were enthusiastic.

Yesterday morning the second week started in a way that bids fair to eclipse the first. Crowds have thronged every department.

They have found reductions so great as to be almost incredible. THEY HAVE FOUND EVERY REDUCTION REAL.

They have been able to buy bright new summer merchandise AT HALF, CLOSE TO HALF, AND LESS IN SOME CASES.



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Splendid 25c to 35c values. It will be wise to be on hand sharp at store opening, for Bullock's embroidery values have become famous. Customers have come to know, through the values we put out, the greater efforts and knowledge we are putting forth to win. Unusual price inducements for today. Edges, insertions, bands, and heading on swiss, nainsook, cambric. New patterns from 6 to 16 inches, well worked. Tables full of them; main floor, sharp at 8 o'clock, 15c a yard.

15c Yard

The daintiest effects on swiss, nainsook and light cambric. Extra \$1.00 and \$1.25 values for clearance and today, 15c a yard.

15c Allover Embroidery at

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The daintiest effects on swiss, nainsook and light cambric. Extra \$1.00 and \$1.25 values for clearance and today, 15c a yard.

15c Lingerie

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Three-piece lingerie sets, consisting of gown, chemise and unders, all sizes, made of fine nainsook, very full; beautifully trimmed with lace or embroidery; gowns have short sleeves and ribbon trimmings; in blue, or white; marked regularly \$5.00. Clearance today, 15c set. Fourth floor.

15c Petticoats

Marked 59c 35c

Petticoats in plain, checked or striped materials; made of chamois, matras and gingham; all lengths; marked 59c to 95c. Today's clearance price 35c.



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WOMEN'S SHOES,
MANY \$5.00 ONES.

Patents, gun metals, fine kids, all leathers; many

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WOMEN'S \$3.00

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Gibson ties and pumps of white linen. Clearance

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WOMEN'S \$3.00 TO \$4.00

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MEN'S SHOES,

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Oxford, too, best of all leathers; a clearance of

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WOMEN'S \$3.00 TAN

PUMPS.

Golden brown kid, hand turned, military heels,

\$2.15.

WOMEN'S \$3.50 TAN

OXFORDS.

Gibson ties, golden brown, turned soles, \$2.15.

\$33.50 Two-Piece Linen Suits . . . \$19.50

Two-piece linen suits, beautifully trimmed with lace and embroidery; smart, snappy styles that have helped make Broadway and Seventh the Fashion Center of Los Angeles.

Jackets made with panels of tucks between rows of

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LACE ROBES AND LINGERIE DRESSES MARKED TO \$35.00

Lingerie Waists MARKED \$2.00 to \$3.50 . . . 95c

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Snappy styles in black and white, prettily trimmed with lace; marked \$2.25 to \$2.75; today, \$1.25. Second Floor.

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25c CUFF LINKS	15c
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Two-piece linen suits, beautifully trimmed with lace and embroidery; smart, snappy styles that have helped make Broadway and Seventh the Fashion Center of Los Angeles.

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75 pairs "New Period" curtains with plain centers and colored ruffles; regular price \$2.25. Clearance, \$1.50. Fifth floor.

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Stamped basswood glove and handkerchief boxes for pyrography work; limit of 1 to a customer; clearance price 10c.

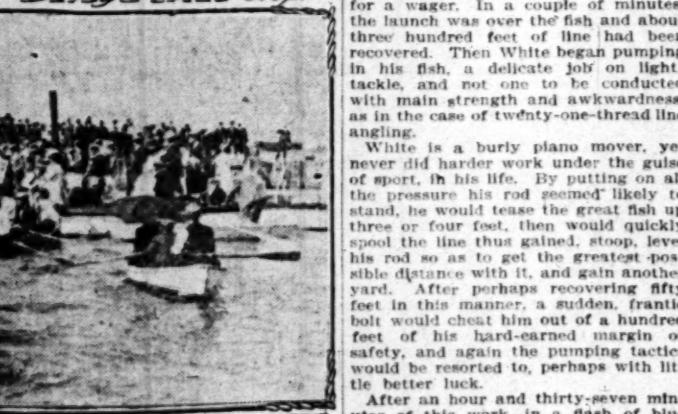
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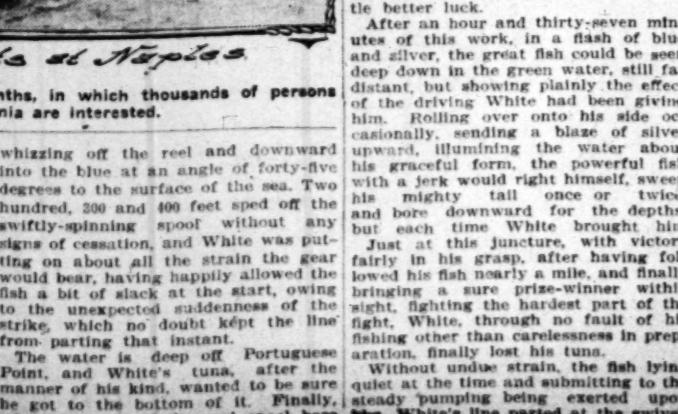
Start of motor boat race.



Diving boat race.



Water sports at Naples.



Water sports during summer months, in which thousands of persons in Southern California are interested.

and the fish slowly sank from view in the clear green sea.

MAY DRAW MORAL.

Light tackle anglers really may draw a moral from White's loss of his line, which, although of the yellow-flannel variety, and spotted after the fashion of his kind, of far greater proportions than any the angler had yet seen. He estimates it at least a hundred-pounder. The moral is summarized in the words—"chafing gear."

TUNA INSURANCE.

One of the greatest obstacles overcome by the light tackle angler is his line chafing at the swivel, and it is so easy to overcome that it is a wonder every angler ... not stumbled onto a scheme for himself. A dozen methods are fully within the tackle rules. A loop of twenty-one thread line tied to the nine-strand running line at the swivel is recommended by some. Others tie a double loop in which there are four strands of nine-thread line bearing upon the swivel. This could be made eight by another doubling, but it would be necessary to make one line double. It backseats more than a single knot. Pass the free ends of the loop again through the bight of the knot and draw tight, pulling alternately at the various strands to make a knot set even. This makes a long knot, in which the strain is evenly distributed. A little service will further protect it from chafing, and serves to protect the knot from the teeth of barracuda which at times strike at anything they can see.

In a long fight with a heavy fish, line is apt to break at the swivel because of the swivel connection. By using a snap-swivel which permits of ready attachment to the leaders, the line may be made fast to the swivel carefully and in a permanent manner.

White's experience proves the contention that tuna can be taken on this side of the channel. The professional fishermen who fish for the sardine cannery at San Pedro catch plenty of tuna which are put up in cans by that institution. They do best in the month of October as a rule, and usually catch their fish on big bone jigs. One fisherman made a good living during the fall of 1905 in this manner, some of his tuna being huge ones, and all of the yellow-flannel variety, the Japanese albacore.

White's line was being given him. Rolling over onto his side, he occasionally, sending a blast of silver upward, the water catching the sunlight and reflecting it in a most graceful form, the powerful fish with a jerk would right himself, and then would quickly spool the line thus gained, stoop, level his rod so as to get the greatest possible distance with it, and gain another line. After a few more layers, and the 55-foot mark had been passed, White threw in the clutch, opened up his engine, and put on all possible speed in the track of his tuna.

WILD RUNAWAY.

Apparently the giant fish had reached very nearly the end of his long run. Going downwards rather than out, the launch was recovered as rapidly as White could pile it on his reel, winding as if for a wager. In a couple of minutes the launch was over the fish and about three hundred feet of line had been recovered. Then White began pumping up the fish, which had been hooked on light tackle, and not out to be conducted with main strength and awkwardness, as in the case of twenty-one-thread line angling.

White is a burly piano mover, yet never did harder work under the guise of sport in his life. By pulling on the pressure his rod seemed likely to stand, he would tease the great fish up three or four feet, then would quickly spool the line thus gained, stoop, level his rod so as to get the greatest possible distance with it, and gain another line.

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Just at this juncture, with victory fairly in his grasp, he saw a small fish with a hook in its mouth, and finally brought his line a sure prize-winner within sight, fighting the hardest part of the fight. White, through no fault of his fishing other than carelessness in preparation, finally lost his line.

The water is deep off Portuguese Point, and White's tuna, after a manner of his kind, wanted to swim away. He got to the bottom of it. Finally, when the coils of the reel spool bore

There's no station here. What's the trouble, anyway?"

"Oh, mothin' of any consequence," the brakeman answered. "The signal wuz agin us, that wuz all. I've jest set it right, an' now we'll go on again directly."

TUNA INSURANCE.

A Boston minister said that not long ago he was dining with a friend. Another guest present was a young man from Kentucky, and the minister was much pleased by the youth's somewhat diffident yet self-possessed manner. He also noted that the young man had left his wife untouched.

"You're drinkin' wine, Mr. Clayton?" the charming daughter of the host asked, lifting her own glass and smiling across at the young man.

"No, I never do," he replied, blushing.

"Oh, you won't then," she asked.

"No," was the firm reply, though the blush of embarrassment deepened on her cheek. "I never drink wine," he added, "but if—well, if you have got little old Bourbon, I reckon I could stand three or four fingers." (Harper's Weekly.)

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ARIZONA.

RUMOR'S WHEELS TURNING BUSILY.

LATEST STORY ABOUT PHOENIX AND EASTERN ROAD.

To Revert to Santa Fe Again, Say Some, but Local Espee Officials Deny It—Gila Valley Line in Splendid Condition—Nacozi Right of Way Disputed.

(SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.)

PHOENIX (Ariz.) Aug. 18.—Through unofficial sources have come rumors that the Phoenix and Eastern road will soon revert to the ownership and control of the Santa Fé system, which transferred the line to the Southern Pacific only a few weeks ago.

It is said that the transfer was made under pressure of part of a trade entered into with the Harriman interests whereby the Santa Fé is to give control of the new through line between Phoenix and Mojave, Cal.

The Southern Pacific and Southwestern companies are arranging for a through Pullman service between Douglas and Bisbee, through Tucson, to Los Angeles.

R. P. Parker, running lines for a railroad along the edge of the Grand Canyon of Arizona in the vicinity of Bright Angel Trail. It is proposed that the road along the rim will be about twenty miles in length, the termini being about a quarter distant east and west from El Tovar Hotel of the Santa Fé Company. In the vicinity of the hotel, it is proposed to run a cog-wheel railroad down into the cañon to a point near the water edge, a distance of about six miles, the road being very similar to that from Manitou to the top of Pike's Peak. The road along the cañon's edge should be constructed at slight cost.

It is possible that electric power might be developed for the line down in the cañon, but the plans thus far made public indicate no such intention. Magnificent water power is available from Indian Garden Springs, immediately below El Tovar, where a drop of about 2000 feet can be secured for an average flow of 1000 cubic feet per second.

HANDSOME STATION.

The Santa Fé, Prescott and Phoenix Railroad Company is completing a handsome concrete station at Prescott.

Railway mail clerk service has been installed on the Phoenix and Eastern line between Phoenix and Winslow.

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IN THE METROPOLIS.

MILLIONAIRE'S WIFE IS WISE.

GIVES SAGE ADVICE TO JEWISH GIRLS IN NEW YORK.

Mrs. Phelps-Stokes Reveals Intimate Knowledge of Affairs of Heart. Gotham's Auto Supply Houses Are Forced to Remain Closed on Sunday—First Chinese Church Planned.

(SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.)

NEW YORK, Aug. 14.—Rose Pastor Stokes who interrupted her career as a reporter and writer of an advice-to-girls column in an East Side newspaper daily to marry the millionaire philanthropist and Socialist, J. G. Phelps-Stokes, has resumed her work on the East Side.

Local Southern Pacific officials suggest the idea that there is prospect of a change. If the road should be forced to the Eastern hands, it would be a grievous blow, for the line now has a tremendous freight traffic and is one of the most profitable of the Southern Pacific's branches.

The extension of the Phoenix and Eastern from Winkelman to San Carlos, latter of which has been long delayed, primarily because of the negotiations between the two railroads and because of the preference that has been given construction work on the new Randolph lines in Sonora, which has taken up all the labor available. It is estimated that the Southern Pacific has awarded contracts for construction of the grade in the Gila Cañon from Winkelman eastward, to connect at San Carlos with the Gila Valley, Globe and Northern roads.

A small part of this grade already

has been constructed by Contractor Coleman, at places where progress on the Santa Fé grade might best be blocked. The Southern Pacific has acquired a complete right of way along the Gila from Somerville up through Dumont, and it is estimated that the Southern Pacific has awarded contracts for construction of the grade in the Gila Cañon from Winkelman eastward, to connect at San Carlos with the Gila Valley, Globe and Northern roads.

One letter is from a girl who has told her all about her life and kind to her, the other ugly, dominating and given to teasing her and borrowing money from her.

With feminine contrariness the girl has become engaged to the latter. To this end, Mrs. Stokes wrote:

"One day you do not love this man to whom you have given your promise to marry. The right, moral thing to do is to let once given him up. Neither do you love the other man. So let him alone. Why not give up your present job and find another? We do not care if you board house? Get a job entitling from your present surroundings and influences."

"This is a serious matter. Remember that marriage is not so simple a matter as eating a doughnut nor is of short duration. It is serious and sacred, and last will last for life. If she is weak she will have to live with the thought that that part of the proposed low-gradient line will be built for years to come."

The Gila Valley road has been put in magnificent shape, with new grade, new railings, embankments and new 5000 station is to be built at Globe. From Globe the road is to be extended to the Live Oak group of mines, north of the city, and probably into the lower Pinto Creek district. It is expected that extensive machine shops will be built at Bowie.

REPORTED ULTIMATUM.

An ultimatum is said to have been given the Phelps-Dodge Company to the effect that if it does not withdraw from the Gila Valley road, the Southern Pacific, the latter company will build a parallel line to Douglas, to connect with its own main line by way of Pearce and Coahise, and with a branch to Bisbee. It is extremely unlikely that Phelps-Dodge will yield, as it will sell and many railroad men may be expected in Southeastern Arizona when the Southern Pacific has awarded contracts for construction of the grade in the Gila Cañon from Winkelman eastward, to connect at San Carlos with the Gila Valley, Globe and Northern roads.

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THE GILA VALLEY ROAD.

The business men of Tucson have subscribed \$4000 for the purpose of forcing better freight rates than are now granted over the Southern Pacific and have employed an expert to conduct the campaign. A committee from the Tucson Chamber of Commerce will soon visit San Francisco to lay their complaint before the highest Southern Pacific officials, and if success is not secured, the matter will be laid before the Interstate Commission for the reduction of freight rates, lately made by the El Paso and Southwestern system from Los Angeles, is said to have seriously injured the jobbing business of Tucson. For many years Tucson has enjoyed a special jobbing rate that has enabled it to compete over all the southern Arizona towns, but this rate, last year, was modified to a degree.

GRAND CANYON ROAD?

Kansas City capitalists, presumably favored by the Santa Fé, now have a party of twelve surveyors, under

the direction of Col. Landrum, who has held a re-

quest for a permit to enter Kentucky and to make a survey of the Grand Ca-

nion. He is to have the services of a manufacturer after he has obtained a permit.

Landrum says he is only in Los Angeles, but it is rumored he comes here to stay.

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THE CITY IN BRIEF

NEWS AND BUSINESS.

San Gabriel's New Constable.

William Hots was appointed by the Board of Supervisors yesterday as constable for San Gabriel, vice W. H. Welch, who has been absent from the place for the past thirty days.

New for Vacations.

The Board of Supervisors yesterday appointed George W. Purdis as a temporary clerk in the township justice courts for the ensuing forty days, to enable the regular clerks to take their annual vacations.

Wants a Liquor License.

Lester A. Noyes yesterday applied to the Board of Supervisors for a hotel liquor license at Alameda and Irene streets, in the Florence precinct. The application was taken under advisement for one week.

For Highway Commission.

The Board of Supervisors yesterday confirmed the lease of a suite of three rooms in the Equitable Bank building at First and Spring streets, as the permanent headquarters of the County Highway Commission. The rental is \$250 per month.

Service of Tent Meetings.

The first of a series of tent meetings to be held at Eleventh and Flower streets, under the direction of Dr. Horton and Dr. Hadden, was attended last night by 150 persons. The meetings will be held at 7:30 o'clock each evening for the next four weeks. The public is invited.

May Be Deported.

Hing Lee, a Chinese, ind aged 15 years, was arrested last night on a bench warrant issued by the Federal Court. It is believed that Lee was smuggled into this country, and an investigation will be made. If the assumptions of the immigration officers are found to be correct Lee will be deported.

Stevens His Wife.

John McFadden was arrested in his own home at No. 134 Date street, last night, and sent to the City Jail on the charge of drunkenness. Patrolman J. P. Conley says that he saw McFadden strike his wife, and the woman declares that she will secure a warrant charging McFadden with battery.

For County Records.

The Title Insurance and Trust Company hereafter will furnish the county offices a complete abstract of the transfer of deeds for each day, and these will be used to keep the county's books down to date. The abstract company was awarded \$6,250 per month for this service, by action of the Supervisors yesterday.

Dies After Operation.

Jennie Johnson, aged 37, wife of J. F. Johnson, died last night at the California Hospital, as the result of an operation for cancer. Mrs. Johnson has been married twenty years, and in addition to her husband, is survived by two sons and a daughter. Funeral services will be held tomorrow afternoon at Sutich funeral parlors.

Asks for a Franchise.

W. L. Hollingsworth yesterday asked the Board of Supervisors to advertise for sale an electric road franchise on certain streets in the townships of Playa del Rey, and this was done. The franchise will be held for a period of forty years, and is to carry the usual freight-carrying clause, with the provision that open freight cars can be hauled only between the hours of 6 p.m. and 6 a.m.

More Careful Oiling.

Hereafter the county road overseers will have to be more careful in using road oil when spreading it on roads crossing electric car tracks. The Pacific Electric company yesterday complained to the Board of Supervisors that a car wreck at Lakeview, Pasadena, was directly caused by the spreading of oil on the car tracks. Sanding immediately after the application of oil will be demanded hereafter. It was claimed that the oiled tracks were partly responsible for the recent Eagle Rock car wreck.

For Arroyo Bridge.

South Pasadena wants a bridge built over the county road overseers' way between the intersection of Mission street, near Garfield avenue. That city is willing to stand part of the expense, but it wants the county to assist. Yesterday the City Trustees appeared before the Board of Supervisors and presented the scheme, and the board agreed to allow \$100,000 to help build it. The balance of the \$300,000 is raised by South Pasadena. The County Engineer and South Pasadena City Engineer are to prepare the plans jointly. The bridge will be half in the county and half in that city.

Physician is Deposed.

Dr. M. F. Price, for the past four years physician at the County Farm, is to be called yesterday, on the motion of Supervisor E. Bridgers, under whose supervision the County Farm is conducted, moved that the office be declared vacant, to take effect September 1. Afterward, on his motion, Dr. Frank B. Dwire, a young physician of Hollywood, was appointed to the position. Supervisor Alexander opposed the removal of Dr. Price, saying that Price is a veteran of the Civil War and has a fine record as a practitioner; but there were four votes against Alexander. The position carries a salary of \$100 per month.

BREVITIES.

Mr. E. W. Collins, buyer of shirt waist corsets and lingerie for the "Ville de Paris," 317-325 S. Broadway, has just returned from an extended business trip to New York City and was unable to conduct his usual teletropic exclusives of "Ville" novelties will be more pronounced than ever in the lines Mr. Collins has selected for the fall and winter season.

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FORTUNE'S WHEEL.

POOR, BUT HE WHIPS STATE.

Prospector May Yet Be an Oil Magnate.

Long Land Contest Decided in His Favor.

When All His Money Is Gone, Fate Is Kind.

George F. Wheeler, an oil prospector, has been victorious in his contest or long legal battle against the State. By a decision rendered yesterday in the local United States Land Office, Wheeler is allowed to retain his possession of a belt of oil land in Kern county which promises a great flow of oil. After spending all his money in sinking wells, he may now reach the goal of his ambition and perhaps be numbered among the oil magnates of the Coast.

Wheeler located the land in Kern county long before the district became famous for oil and spent many years in erecting derricks and boring. When he reached blue clay and believed he had every prospect of success, his funds gave out. His strenuous attempt to borrow money was unsuccessful. He went East and for a year or so abandoned his claim.

Then he returned, with all the money he could scrape together, repaired his boring apparatus and began work once more. When he indicated his intent to succeed, and he believed he was on the eve of realizing a fortune in oil, he had to face an action brought by the State of California.

Wheeler secured able counsel and fought the battle. A decision was rendered yesterday by Gen. Frank G. Prescott of the Land Office, and concurred in by Receiver O. R. W. Robinson.

The case hinged on the actual character of the land which Wheeler claimed to own. The court ruled that it was mineral land, and that he had obtained it in order to develop oil.

STATE'S CLAIM.

The State claimed that it had a right to the land under the law of State indemnity selection. In March, 1906, the State of California filed a non-mineral affidavit with the Land Office, which set forth that the land in question had been located by Wheeler, who, for speculative purposes, claimed it for its oil possibilities. The State set forth that no oil had been developed and that the land was in a state of nature. It was admitted that there were streams and other appurtenances on the section, but it was alleged that the work had been abandoned.

In his protest, the prospector said the land was worthless for agricultural purposes. He had, he claimed, explored the entire section and found outcroppings of gypsum, sandstone and shale, and asserted that notices of placer locations were filed in the office of the Register of Kern county.

In November, 1906, the hearing began before Register Prescut, Donald Barker, of Gray, Barker & Bowen, appeared for Wheeler. The litigation continued into this year.

The matter finally resolved itself into two points: Was the land mineral or non-mineral in character?

The Land Office holds that the land was appropriated by Wheeler for agricultural purposes, and that the land was used for agriculture and without water. Wheeler and his associates began work in 1906 and worked faithfully until the following year, going down 716 feet. Finally the prospector failed to find oil funds: hopes in the air and pockets empty after an expenditure of \$14,000.

"In January, 1906, relocations were made and proper steps taken to comply with the mining laws and preserve the appropriations so made. A year later the State asks to select the lands as agricultural."

The case may be appealed to the General Land Office and possibly to Secretary James R. Garfield.

MONEY FOR MANNA.

Fugitive from Mexican Justice, Who Has Dropped from Sight, Not Likely to Claim Award.

Although the Supreme Court has recently affirmed the decision of the lower court awarding Frank Manna several hundred dollars in his suit against the Union Fertilizer Company, it is not believed he ever claims the money. Manna is a fugitive from justice. He was awaiting a hearing on extradition proceedings in the United States District Court. On the appointed day he did not appear. Officers have searched for him in vain.

Manna was accused by the Mexican government of stealing dynamite from their islands. He was arrested in Ensenada, when he returned to that city after disposing of his plunder in San Diego. The Mexican judge allowed him to give bonds for his appearance, but he stole a launch and took to sea, where he found his little schooner lying to, awaiting his arrival.

After reaching San Diego, Manna came to this city. He was finally located and arrested by the United States Deputy Marshal. He sent his attorney to contest the effort to extradite him. Manna became despondent over the case, and is reported to have said he would commit suicide rather than go back to a Mexican prison. It is not known that he took such desperate means to escape imprisonment. It is believed he persuaded some skipper to take him up the coast from San Pedro.

DAILY STRAW VOTE.

A straw vote in the Union Trust Building on the successor to President Roosevelt gave the following result:

REPUBLICANS:

Taft—97.

Hughes—33.

Cortelyou—26.

La Follette—4.

Foraker—8.

Fairbanks—3.

DEMOCRATS:

Bryan—27.

Johnson—13.

Gov. Glenn, North Carolina—1.

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Railroad's Political Agent
Plans Long Absence.

Flint Boom for Governor in
Hands of Successor.

Walter's pants will soon fit Leo. Parker is going out as Republican boss for a long vacation, at least, and United States Marshal Youngworth is coming in.

This authentic information comes to The Times over the longest political pipeline in the world. There is a good deal of circumstantial evidence to support it. It is said to be the forerunner of the Motley H. Flint boom for Governor of California, which is assuming proportions.

Walter Parker is going away from here surely enough. He may stay a long time. He probably will leave in October and it is said to be more than likely that he will be absent during the primary elections of next May. Wherefore the opening for a new "boss" is obvious.

Parker has "stepped down" and "gone away" so often that it is like crying "wolf" to mention it again.

Even now he is out of the city but he is expected back today. He has been preparing for some time to go with his family to Ohio for an extended stay. One of his close friends said yesterday that he may remain in the East for a year or more and that on his return he will not resume his intense political activity. Business matters connected with his wife's property, it is said, call him away.

HIS CHERISHED HOPE.

Marshal Youngworth long has cherished hopes of attaining some day to the domain of political leader, and, though others have been mentioned as successors to Parker, the young and handsome Federal officer, once County Surveyor, is declared by his friends to be the man.

Youngworth gained fame during the last election as the head of the strong combination of able young Republicans that includes Postmaster Motley H. Flint, W. P. Jeffries, W. H. Harrison and others of high looks and political prowess. He and they cut quite a swath at the Venice convention, where they incurred the enmity of many of the old guard of the Simon-pure "push." Youngworth is the political father of Supervisor "Tusse" Eldridge, and he returns from Europe, bringing, it is said, a lot of important notions about party leadership.

Just how much of a figure the Southern Pacific will continue to cut in local politics is a matter of conjecture. The main significance of the reported selection of Youngworth as "boss" is in its connection with the gubernatorial campaign of 1910, with the race for the seat in the United States Senate now occupied by George F. Perkins, and with the campaign of Senator Frank P. Flint for reelection in 1910.

OUT FOR "MOT."

"Motley Flint for our next Governor," is the slogan of the "mutual ads," and, in order to lay him in that place, they must have a grasp of the situation that they can get only through running the machine. So they propose to put Youngworth at the throttle.

In the first place, they want no Southern Californian to appear as a candidate for Senator Perkins's seat. Though this end of the State could not hope to have both United States Senators, it would not do for one even to make the race, as it would be prejudicial to the Flint nomination. The Youngworth followers are willing to let the north name the successor to Perkins, but they want to name the Governor, and to return Frank P. Flint to the Senate, at all costs.

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The police are puzzled over the robbery of Mrs. C. W. Pratt's home at No. 1921 Harvard boulevard, from which over \$1000 worth of diamonds were taken. When the crime occurred is yet to be determined, but it is supposed to have been some time within the past few days.

Mrs. Pratt discovered, yesterday, that a diamond ring, worth about \$600, was missing from her jewel case. Upon investigation she found that other rings were also gone and she notified the police.

Mrs. Pratt returned to Los Angeles from Santa Barbara Friday and since Thursday had no occasion to use the missing rings. Other valuable articles of jewelry in a drawer were not disturbed.

The police ascertained that an off-duty policeman had chased a young, well-dressed man, who ran when the officer spoke to him Saturday night, on the boulevard. A private watchman claims to have seen a male loitering near the Pratt home the same night. The police say they have a good description of the suspicious character.

A strange feature of the case is that nothing in the house was taken except the rings. Drawers had not been searched and no marks could be found upon window sills.

Y.M.C.A. SCHOOLS.

Committee in Charge Contemplates In-

roducing Many New Courses of
Instruction for Coming Year.

Lloyd B. Austin, educational director of the Young Men's Christian Association, reported yesterday to the committee in charge of that department concerning a number of new courses proposed for the association school, the coming winter, and including game engineering, pharmacy, automobile and the law of contracts. There are also plans for courses in plumbing, printing and telegraphy. The Western Gas Engine Company has offered the use of its plant for a class in construction.

The fall term will open September 20. Most courses will run for six months, but some for nine. Last year 500 students were enrolled and more are expected this year. Thirty teachers will be required. The committee will meet tomorrow to make final arrangements.



Walter's pants will soon fit Leo if Grandma Herrin can cut them down.

HARRIMAN CASH FLIES.

MILLIONS MOVING FOR TROLLEY LINE.

Los Angeles-Pacific Executes Trust
Deed for Large Amount to Secure
Payment of Bond Issue Covering Big
Improvements to System.

A TRUST deed for \$20,000,000 has been executed by the Los Angeles-Pacific Railway Company in favor of the Southern Trust Company of this city, to secure the payment of an issue of new bonds to that amount, the security covering all of the extensive properties of the railway company. The deed has not yet been placed on record and the fact that it has been executed has not been officially announced, but the report of the transaction comes from financiers in position to know just what is contemplated in the big deal.

When it was announced several days ago that E. H. Harriman was coming to Los Angeles for the purpose of inspecting the Los Angeles-Pacific road, in which he holds a controlling interest, the statement was made that this financial deal was one of the important matters which would receive his consideration. Whether Mr. Harriman will come to this section of the State before returning East is a matter about which even the persons intimately associated with him in his railroad interests in this vicinity have no definite information, for the reason that he has made no announcement of what he will do after his present outing on his extensive game preserves in Southern Oregon.

The presence of Mr. Harriman is not vitally necessary to the consummation of the bond deal, and all the arrangements for issuing the new bonds of the company have been made through his representatives. It is known that the matter has been approached by him and that arrangements have been made to place the new bonds through his representatives in the financial centers of this country.

The Los Angeles-Pacific Railway Company has bonded indebtedness of about \$12,000,000, several large blocks of the bonds being held in Los Angeles. The new bond issue has been ordered for the purpose of retiring or refunding the old bonds of the same amount, providing funds for the extensive improvements which are to be made on the system—improvements which amount practically to rebuilding, re-equipping and greatly extending the existing lines of the road.

Holders of the present bonds will be given their option as to whether they will retain their present holdings or exchange them for the new bonds on a basis of dollar for dollar.

The retirement of the old bonds will leave a margin of about \$8,000,000 to be expended on improvements. The new road will combine all the lines of electric traction. The new rolling stock will be ninety-pound steel. The roadbed will be rock-ballasted throughout. Attraction sections will be built and the Los Angeles depot will be located between Fourth and Fifth streets on

THE PUBLIC SERVICE.

SUMMARY OF THE DAY.

In a final appeal for fire bonds Chas Lips sent a report to the Council yesterday that most of the fire houses are badly in need of repairs and that all the crews are undermanned; the Council passed a preliminary resolution paving the way for an issue of \$300,000 in fire bonds.

Tax-Collector Johnson sent a cutting reply to the Council yesterday to the charge of failure to collect licensees preferred by the City Auditor; the Council referred the license dispute to the City Attorney.

The City Gas Company issued permits yesterday for its first lines of gas mains.

The marriage of Hazel Alexander of Long Beach to Harold Griffis, when the girl was only 15 years of age, was annulled yesterday in the Superior Court.

W. S. Sharp, of alert mind, was brought before the insanity commission again yesterday, and once more the case was continued.

The Pacific Electric and Los Angeles Inter-Urban Railway Companies were found guilty in the Police Court, yesterday, of violating the fender ordinance.

V. D. Mitchell was on trial in the Police Court yesterday. He is charged with going twice at his wife through her bedroom window. The case will be resumed today.

AT THE CITY HALL

CHIEF MAKES A BITTER CRY.

FIRE HOUSES SHAKY; EVERY COMPANY UNDERMANNED.

Final Plan to Council for Bond Issue—Wren Thinks Money for Improvements Should Come from Current Revenue Fund—Would Buy Harness and Furniture.

The Council adopted a preliminary resolution yesterday declaring the necessity of the immediate expenditure of \$300,000 for fire protection, and asserting that the condition of the city's finances is such that the money can be secured only by an issue of bonds.

Councilman Wren opposed the resolution on the ground that the budget for the present fiscal year is not yet prepared, and the Councilmen do not know that it is impossible to take the money from the tax fund. As but six votes are required to pass the resolution, this opposition from the Third Ward came near causing an early collapse of the fire bond issue. But Wren relented when he found he was blocking the game; he voted for the resolution, with the reservation that he will probably vote against the final ordinance when that is presented.

Three Councilmen were absent from the meeting; these three are avowedly in favor of the bond issue; unless there is a change of heart among the Councilmen the final ordinance calling the election will be adopted next Monday.

Chas Lips submitted the following communication to the Council yesterday in favor of an increase of the fire department:

The Board of Fire Commissioners is endeavoring, and has at all times endeavored, to give the city of Los Angeles a fire department which will provide proper protection, and be a credit to the city, but cannot do so without sufficient funds therefor.

The population of the city of Los Angeles has increased so rapidly the past few years that the present system of tax levy for the improvement of its various departments is inadequate to provide sufficient funds to enlarge and take care of the same in keeping with the general growth of the city.

Every company in the fire department at present is improperly manned, being short-handed from one to three men each.

Nearly all of the fire houses are badly in need of repairs; many of them should be removed to better locations to secure quicker service.

Some of the districts of the city have practically no protection at all, and numerous complaints have been made by citizens in said districts, and requests made to the commissioners to provide necessary protection. The new bond issue will provide funds for new houses and equipment in these districts that at present have little or no protection.

The following comparative statement obtained from the latest available statistics, showing the number of men, area and population of Los Angeles, compared with other large cities in the United States, should convince the people of the necessity for prompt action:

	No. of Population.	Area, sq. miles.
Los Angeles	525,000	43
Boston	621,000	43
Buffalo	366,000	42
Chicago	460,000	37
Cleveland	460,000	35
Detroit	317,000	39
St. Louis	360,000	29
Philadelphia	367,000	29
Jersey City	267,000	12
Kansas City	225,000	36
Portland	157,000	34
San Francisco	260,000	46
Louisville	220,000	21
Milwaukee	205,000	22
Newark	275,000	22

The judicious expenditure of the funds derived from the bond issue will place Los Angeles in a better position, compared with other cities of like importance in the United States.

In addition to horses and equipment the preliminary ordinance provides that even harness for the fire horses and furniture for the fire houses shall be paid for out of the bond funds. In past years the city has been able to save money for small items like these from the tax fund. Using bond money for such a purpose is a new departure. It has already subjected the Fire Board to criticism.

DEPARTMENTS DISAGREE.

ATTORNEY FOR MEDIATOR.

City Attorney Hewitt must act as mediator between the Auditor and the Tax Collector over the question of the collection and the failure to collect city licenses.

A week ago City Auditor Mushet presented a written report to the Council in which he charges wholesale violations of the city license ordinances.

Yesterday Tax Collector Johnson made a written reply in which he says that most of the things Mushet alleges are so. Musket, however, thinks the Council is to blame for his facts and figures to back up his assertions. Each party to the controversy asked for an investigation, but the Council turned the questions of fact and veracity over to the City Attorney.

"What the city needs is that these dues shall be collected and that the delinquents shall be made to pay their back indebtedness," said Councilman Yonkin, "The City Attorney has instructions to proceed against the delinquents. I fail to see that there is anything further for us to do."

"I am in receipt of a copy of a re-

port of the City Auditor," says Mr. Johnson, "his communication to the Council, "wherein he makes grave and serious charges against the conduct of the City Tax and License Collector's office, which in several instances are incorrect and not borne out by the actual facts."

"His statement in said report that the City Auditor is not on the line of duty, and not from any bias or outside influence is hardly borne out by the language of said report, which teams with innuendo and sarcasm that are entirely uncalled for and unnecessary and would certainly not have been used by one who was dictated solely by pure motives."

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Mr. Johnson says that the license for selling water was adopted before the city bought the water companies; he holds that these are now subject to association with the city limits.

The City Attorney is quoted as authority for the system of license collection on street cars followed by the Tax Collector.

The Auditor is accused of making misstatements of facts relative to the amount of license paid by the Chutes. In this the Tax Collector is backed by a letter from the Chutes management.

Auditor Musket listened carefully to the reading of Johnson's report to the Council, and asserted that he has documents in his office to prove every statement in his charges made a week ago.

"The best proof is the cash received on the delinquent license fees," says the Auditor.

Musket asked for an investigation by Council committee, but the Councilman declined to do so.

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"A little," said the witness.

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"I had a talk with Mr. Griffis, Sr., soon afterward," testified Mrs. Alexander, "and told him and his son that he must not tell his wife where he was bound to have her, even if they had to wait till she was of age. It seems to me that was an admission that he knew she was under age when we went with her and his son." "I did go to see some one in the District Attorney's office to see about prosecuting Griffis, Sr. Nothing came of it."

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Mrs. Griffis testified that the first mention of marriage between her and Harold Griffis had been on the day before the ceremony took place.

"You were 15 years old at that time when you?" asked Attorney Knight, and the witness answered in the affirmative.

"Did you tell Harold Griffis and his father your true age?"

"I did."

"But you swore to the County Clerk that you didn't know what age you were?" admitted Mrs. Griffis quietly.

The witness stated that, during the seven months of her married life, she had lived with her husband's people in Long Beach. She did not go into details. She said she had seen her husband several times after leaving him, but had not spoken to him.

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"Can't you take the fact that he was arrested and held as a fugitive as satisfactory evidence?" Dr. Sharp?

"No, judge, I can't. Political influence might have placed him in his position, in spite of his incompetency," said the physician.

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THE PUBLIC SERVICE.

SUMMARY OF THE DAY.

In a final appeal for fire bonds Chet Lips sent a report to the Council yesterday that most of the fire houses are badly in need of repairs and that all the crews are undermanned; the Council passed a preliminary resolution paying the way for an issue of \$300,000 in fire bonds.

Tax-Collector Johnson sent a cutting reply to the Council yesterday to the charges of failure to collect licenses preferred by the City Auditor; the Council referred the license dispute to the City Attorney for adjudication.

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The marriage of Hazel Alexander of Long Beach to Harold Griffis, when the girl was only 15 years of age, was annulled yesterday in the Superior Court.

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The Pacific Electric and Los Angeles Inter-Urban Railway Companies were found guilty in the Police Court, yesterday, of violating the fender ordinance. The case will be appealed to a higher tribunal.

V. D. Mitchell was on trial in the Police Court, yesterday. He is charged with going twice at his wife through her bedroom window. The case will be resumed today.

AT THE CITY HALL

CHIEF MAKES A BITTER CRY.

FIRE HOUSES SHAKY; EVERY COMPANY UNDERMANNED.

Final Plea to Council for Bond Issue—Wren Thinks Money for Improvements Should Come from Current Revenue Fund—Would Buy Harness and Furniture.

The Council adopted a preliminary resolution yesterday declaring the necessity of the immediate expenditure of \$300,000 for firehouse improvements and authorizing that the condition of the city's finances be such that the money can be secured only by an issue of bonds.

Councilman Wren opposed the resolution on the ground that the budget for the present fiscal year is not yet prepared, and the Councilmen do not know that it is impossible to take the money from the tax fund. As but six votes are required to pass the resolution, this opposition from the Third Ward came near causing an early collapse of the fire-bond boom. But Wren relented when he found he was blocking the game; he voted for the resolution, with the reservation that he will probably vote against the final ordinance when that is presented.

Three Councilmen were absent from the meeting; these three are avowedly in favor of the bond issue; unless there is a change of heart among the Councilmen the final ordinance calling the election will be adopted next Monday.

Chief Lips submitted the following communication to the Council yesterday in favor of an increase of the fire department:

The Board of Fire Commissioners is endeavoring, and has at all times, devoed to give the city of Los Angeles a fire department that will provide proper protection, and be a credit to the city, but cannot do so without sufficient funds therefor.

The population of the city of Los Angeles has increased so rapidly the past few years that the present system of tax levy for the maintenance of its various departments is inadequate to provide sufficient funds to enlarge and take care of the same in keeping with the general growth of the city.

Every company in the fire department at present is improperly manned, being short-handed from one to three men.

Nearly all of the fire houses are badly in need of repairs; many of them should be removed to better locations to secure quicker service.

Some of the districts of the city have practically no protection at all, and numerous improvements have been made by citizens in said districts, and requests made to the commission to provide necessary protection. The new bond issue will provide funds for six new houses and equipment in these districts which at present have little or no protection.

The following comparative statement obtained from the latest available statistics, showing the number of men, area and population of Los Angeles, compared with other large cities in the United States, should convince the people of the necessity for prompt action:

No.	Population, Area, men
Los Angeles	280,000 45 892
Boston	621,000 43 892
Baltimore	300,000 42 571
Cincinnati	321,000 36 454
Cleveland	480,000 36 454
Detroit	377,000 39 454
Indianapolis	277,000 36 454
Jersey City	287,000 12 190
St. Louis	427,000 36 250
Worcester	227,000 34 250
San Francisco	475,000 46 601
Los Angeles	280,000 21 280
Milwaukee	272,000 31 250

The judicious expenditure of the funds derived from the bond issue will place Los Angeles in a better position, compared with other large cities in the United States, than any other.

In addition to houses and equipment the preliminary ordinance provides that even harness for the fire horses and furniture for the fire houses shall be paid out of the bond funds. In past years the city has been able to take money for small items like these from the tax fund. Using bond money for such a purpose is a new departure. It has already subjected the Fire Board to criticism.

DEPARTMENTS DISAGREE.
ATTORNEY FOR MEDIATOR.

City Attorney Hewitt must act as mediator between the Auditor and the Tax Collector over the question of the collection and the failure to collect city licenses.

A week ago City Auditor Mushet presented a written report to the Council in which he charges wholesale violations of the city license ordinances.

Yesterday Tax Collector Johnson made a written reply in which he says that most of the accusations aren't so. Mushet replied on the floor of the Council that he has facts and figures to back up his assertions. Each party to the controversy asked for an investigation, but the Council turned the questions of fact and veracity over to the City Attorney.

"What the city needs is that licenses shall be collected and that the delinquents shall be made to pay their back indebtedness," said Councilman Yonkin, "the City Attorney has no inclination to prosecute against the delinquents. I fail to see where there is anything further for us to do."

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"I saw him only two or three times before the marriage," testified Mrs. Alexander, "but I decided at once that he was unfit for any young girl to associate with. I forbade my daughter even to speak to him again. And I hasn't seen any of his family then, either."

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"The chief proof is the cash received on the delinquent licenses," asserted Mushet, "we are getting hundreds of dollars of back licenses right along. Thousands of dollars have been paid in."

Mushet asked for an investigation by a Council committee, but the Councilmen declined to interfere. They instructed the City Attorney to ascertain what back licenses are due to the city, and to see that the licensees collected on the ordinances judged invalid by the courts. The result of the controversy will probably be a complete revision of the license ordinances.

The effect of the Auditor's campaign against the license dodgers has been to add materially to the city's license collections.

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George B. Edwards struck a responsive chord in the Council yesterday when he asserted that ordinances being provided that house numbers be placed in the sidewalk in front of each residence. The Board of Public Works has been asked to report back to the Council whether such a plan is feasible.

Property owners living on Hoover avenue in the Sixth Ward have petitioned the Council for permission to widen and improve that thoroughfare between Fifteenth street and Clauson avenue.

W. L. Rice has petitioned for permission to lay a water main on Park and Vermont avenues to his residence on No. 212 Sunnydale Park. He represents that he is unable to obtain from the city plant water for domestic use.

Councilman Clappitt protested against the grant a permit to H. B. Holloway to place a pumping cable across any new steel bridge Shore road.

The Los Angeles Clearinghouse Association sent to the Council yesterday the name of John E. Fishburn, president of the National Bank of California, as its representative on the Charter Revision Committee.

The City Council received from the Electrical Supply Company of Chicago a communication to the effect that the company has been informed that the city is about to build an electric light plant.

The company has offered to supply power to certain station plants.

"Mobile" Louie, traveling wash-woman, was at the street fair yesterday. He peddled his wares to the companies there.

Hay's Hair Health

RESTORES GRAY HAIR
to its NATURAL COLOR.

Stops its falling out, and positive-
ly removes Dandruff. Keeps hair
soft and glossy. Is not a dye.
Guaranteed perfectly pure.

Philo Hay Spec. Co., Newark, N. J.

50c. bottles, all druggists

lection of a fare before a company has provided a seat for the passenger. The petition was referred to the City Attorney.

AT THE COURTHOUSE.

BITTER LESSON OF CHILD-WIFE.

REFUSES TO OBEY MOTHER AND REGRETS IT TOO LATE.

Court Annuls Marriage of Girl of Fifteen Years and She Returns to Parental Roof—Perjury to Obtain License—Then Follows Story of Neglect and Cruelty.

Judge Bordwell granted a decree of annulment of her marriage. All the parties involved are residents of Long Beach.

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FAMOUS FOUNDER
OF MISSIONS.

BEAUTIFUL LIFE OF DEVOTION
HAS ITS SETTING.

Rev. R. S. MacLay, Missionary,
Translator of the Scriptures, Au-
thor and Educator, Laid to Rest
After Tender Memorial Service in
the Name of His Nephew.

Baptized home to the tomb by six of his
nephews, the mortal remains of the
Rev. Robert Samuel MacLay, D.D.,
were laid in Rosedale Cemetery, but
the beauty of his life and the glory of
his deeds will live for all time.
Dr. MacLay was one of God's noblest
creations. Educated, consecrated and un-

Interest 3%

on a current bank ac-
count amounts to a
neat sum in a year.
We allow interest
on all classes of ac-
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COLUMBIA TRUST
COMPANY
511 WEST THIRD.

TEA

All sorts of tea grows on
the tea bush; all sorts on
the same tea bush.

Your grocer returns your money if you don't
like Schilling's Best: we pay him.

everything that can be thought of in
the way of fortune tellers' fakery. The
list was so striking that President
Patterson had Clerk McPherson read it
five times—the words sounded so good
Patterson hated to have the business
over with these.

The next section provides that every one of these alleged seers into the future
must have a certain designated place of business, and that this can only be changed through permission from the board. The licenses are renewable at any time, if the board sees fit to do so.

This \$30 per month license fee applies to every person who carries on, practices, or professes to practice the business or art of astrology, phrenology, life-reading, fortune-telling, cartomancy, clairvoyance, crystal-gazing, hypnotism, mesmerism, spirit photography, spirit writing, spirit voices, spirit materialization, etherealization, prophecy, augury, divination, magic or necromancy, or any other similar art or business, and demands and receives directly or indirectly a fee or reward for the exercise or exhibiting of his art, or for the teaching of his art or business to others."

It is claimed that the recent raising of the rates for this class of fakers by the City Council caused many of the like to leave just outside the city limits, where there has been much complaint from victims who were foolish enough to become enmeshed in their toils and have their money separated from them.

NEW FIELD TO CONQUER.

BIG TRADE WITH NEVADA SURE.

PRODUCE MEN AWAIT BETTER
SHIPPING RATE.

Express Company's Manager Sym-
pathizes With Local Merchants'
Desires and Is Arranging Matters.
Satisfactory Terms Will Be Secured
in Few Months and Perhaps Much
Sooner.

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TUESDAY, AUGUST 20, 1907.

TOPICS OF THE STAGE.

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Any Summer Suit in the house, except blues and blacks; values to \$35.00.

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met with the approval of the gallery if not of the dress circle and boxes. The hold-overs are the Five Musicians, Bryson, John W. World and Mindell, Greville, Kingston, and Seymour and Hill.

Giordano is writing an opera which he calls "Marcella," with plot based on the life of Marcella Sembrich. The composer must be indeed impoverished for a dramatic subject, but may be consoled with the remembrance that some of the world's most exquisite operatic models have been wedded to plots of genteel imbecility.

Perhaps the honored and deserved position which Sembrich holds in the artistic world will in some degree compensate the dramatic side of the work. The work will be first given next fall at the Teatro Lirico, in Milan.

Pietro Mascagni, whose overwhelming conceit is thought by many to have caused his loss of reputation, has just written a series of astonishing "confessions." He avers that the extraordinary success of his first opera laid great responsibility upon the shoulders of the world's most exquisite operatic models who have been wedded to plots of genteel imbecility.

Grace Van Studdiford, this week, at all, made a marked impression. Light and airy, she was forced to make her selections before the curtain allow her to leave the stage. Her voice had improved greatly during the year, and her register is especially effective in technique. Miss Van Studdiford, who used to excel in her work last night, Mr. John Lancastor, by an earnest little speech, received a round of applause. Thanksgiving Day.

It is well remembered by an eminent little actress, who was born in a rural town, and made his first entrance. Barrows gave an excellent performance in a role on the "Cavalleria Rusticana" manner emulating the audience.

Barrows is a favorite with the public, and was well received.

He is a man of low birth, and was not able to help himself.

He understood his instrument, and makes it do what he wants.

He is a typical English music hall publisher, with whom he has become reconciled in Milan, endeavoring to find work of sufficient vitality to classify with "Cavalleria." Composer and friends hope that the piece will be "Mascherata," his only comic opera.

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Several dozen different colors suitable for street and evening wear. Ninety cents a yard.

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Startling News in Tomorrow's Adv.

Lace Boleros at Half

Final clean-up of a big lot of samples, some of which are quite a bit rumpled but have suffered no hurts that one laundering won't set right.

Twelve patterns in deep cream and ecru lace, at \$1.50 each—just half real value.

Fifteen different patterns in linen and lace combined; \$17.50 values, at \$7.50—that's away LESS than half.

Skirts Made Free

Ask Our Dress Goods Salesmen.

Val. Laces at Half

These offerings brought generous response yesterday. Today's early shoppers will find just as big values if not such varied assortments.

Val. laces of the sorts regularly sold at 40c and 50c a doz. yards, at..... 25c 18-inch white all over laces, \$3.50 to \$6.00 values, yard..... \$2.75 5 to 9-inch Swiss and nainsook embroidery edges of the character commonly sold at 25c and 35c a yard, are now..... 15c

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You who go shopping nowadays know that all cotton goods are dear---that you can't make underwear at home (throwing in your work) as cheaply as you bought it last year.

But Look Here

A big line of combination garments—corset covers and skirts or drawers in one---of the daintiest novelty sorts, are yours at a quarter less than usual fair prices. And at least twenty-four different styles of gowns are put on sale at corresponding reductions Making room---let that explain it.

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\$7.50 garments now \$6.65. \$12 garments now \$9. \$8.00 garments now \$6.00. \$16 garments now \$12. \$10 garments now \$8.50. \$17.50 garments now \$13.15. \$11 garments now \$8.25. \$25 garments now \$18.75.

The gowns are made from nainsook and longcloth of best quality; low neck style, with short or long sleeves; lace and embroidery trimmings, of course.

\$4 garments are now \$3. \$6.50 garments are now \$5.40. \$10 garments are now \$8.50. \$12 garments are now \$9. \$14.50 garments are now \$10.50. \$15 garments are now \$11.25. \$16 garments are now \$12.00.



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NEWS REPORTS FROM CORRESPONDENTS OF THE TIMES.

PEDAGOGUES HAPPY. SCHOOLS ARE TO GET RATE ASKED.

TAX RATE IN PREPARATION IN PASADENA.

Teachers Are to Get All the Increases Requested—Complaint is Heard from the Police Department Respecting Its Share in the Apportionment for That Department.

Office of The Times, No. 26 S. Raymond avenue.

PASADENA, Aug. 20.—As a result of the steady campaign waged by the Board of Education, the city authorities have allowed all the demands for the schools. The rate will be fixed at 25 cents on the \$100 of assessed valuation. This on the basis of \$37,761,000 as the assessment of the school district will give a school fund of approximately \$90,832 from the city. These figures, together with the estimates for taxation and the expenses of running the city government, will be submitted to the City Council today. With this exception the figures are practically as outlined heretofore.

With the schools getting the limit of the tax rate in the old city will be \$1.20 divided into 50 cents general taxation, 15 cents for bonds, and 25-cent school rate. In North Pasadena the rate will be a total of \$1.00, because that section does not pay its share on the outstanding bonded indebtedness; and on the east side the rate will be only \$1.05, as that section pays nothing on bonded indebtedness.

In this victory of the school board the teachers will get all the increases requested. Some of the teachers receive as much as 25 cents extra in pay and, as the emergency fund is in good condition, there is no danger that the board can not pay all the salaries provided in full. The tax rate falls about \$300 short of the sum asked but as there is \$500 coming from the state fund with balance from the same source, the board expects to expect \$2000 more from the county than was received last year, the school finances will be in good shape. In addition to these extra sums the City Council will be requested to sanction the present system of taxation.

LONG BEACH RUMBLINGS.

A ten-year-old daughter of Mrs. Ella C. Westland of Upland met with a peculiar and distressing accident this morning at the Park View Hotel. The girl was joking with her brother, who was shaving, and had just raised her hand to tap him on the head, when he turned suddenly to speak to her and the razor striking her hand, sliced off cleanly part of the third finger of her right hand. The girl promptly fainted and medical aid was required to restore her.

The War Department has notified the San Joaquin Railroad Company that its steel drawbridge across the Kern river at the California River must be completed by April 15, 1904. The Los Angeles Dock and Terminal Company does not object as it sets a definite time for the completion of the work. Under the present system credit must be given to the dock company to allow its dredging and deepening of the mouth of the river.

Some time last night dental thief entered the office of Dr. C. Burritt in the Long Beach Bank building, gaining entrance through the transom, and breaking open a desk, stole the supply of gold used for fillings, about \$30 worth. Saturday night Dr. Keller was robbed of half a dozen dentures, worth \$100, and Dr. M. C. Johnson, a physician, had \$50 worth of appliances.

The tunnel leading from the beach under Pine avenue to the First National Bank building has been completed, and the work of concreting the walls, ceiling and doorways will begin at once. The tunnel is six feet high and the top of it is fifteen feet below the surface of Pine avenue. It will be used in transmitting light, power and heat for the bank from a power house on the beach.

The police this morning were asked to locate James Gardner, an employee of the Falchild-Gillmore Paving Company, who disappeared last Friday night. He was found at the Receiving Hospital in Los Angeles, where he had been taken after falling and cutting his face.

The largest cement contract ever let here, except for Hotel Virginia, and street work, was begun this morning by James Dovey, who is to terrace the bluff opposite Bixby Park on the property of D. M. Myrick, a millionaire, who is erecting a \$100,000 residence. The bluff is fifty-six feet high and will be terraced with solid walls fifty feet high and a bulkhead sixteen feet high on the beach. Eight feet of this bulkhead will form the foundation in the sand. The work will cost \$20,000.

James Roddick, a drug clerk, convicted of violating the liquor ordinance and fined \$250, has filed a transcript of the case with Recorder Hart and given notice of an appeal to the Superior Court.

Acting on the advice of City Attorney Skinner, the City Trustees will continue jurisdiction over the territory north of town, the boundary of which is effected by the late Wilmington depression. The law is to be re-enacted so that the city will merely annex that portion of Long Beach (by election) which was made Wilmington by incorporation, as the election lines overlapped territory already absorbed.

Mr. E. Andrews of Glendale has come to the island for a short visit and is staying at Canvas City.

Among a large party of southerners who arrived at Catalina Saturday for a sight-seeing sojourn, and who were staying at the Metropole, Mrs. Samuel Cohn, Miss Seymour Swartz, Mrs. Julian Morris, Miss Ray Wolfe, Miss Stella and Sadie Cohn, Doris and Phyllis Kirschner, Mrs. E. Andrews from Glendale, and others, arrived Sunday evening.

The Misses Ida and Gertrude Maas of Alhambra arrived here last night and are staying at the Metropole.

Arthur Jerome Eddy of Pasadena is one of the active workers in the Trustee's campaign to increase the tax rate.

Captain George Dimmick, who has charge of Avion's water system, is in Los Angeles on business, but will return this evening.

Among the Angelinos who went to the Isthmus yesterday and today for an outing were K. H. Woodbury, F. S. Stevenson, F. C. Grant, L. F. Roth, R. M. and W. White and H. M. Corlett.

Miss Lucy Alexander and her brother, Adrian, of Los Angeles are visiting at the home of Dr. J. J. Peckham.

Another matter of extreme importance will be decided at the meeting of the City Council today, that is the granting of a franchise to the Pacific Electric to double track the downtown streets. In the latter part of the past week the railway company addressed a communication to the City Council asking that the franchise for the double-track franchise will pass with little or no opposition in the chamber.

This view does not prevail among all the populace. Col. G. G. Greene and J. H. Holmes, owner and manager of the Hotel Greene, are bitterly opposed to the double tracking of Raymond avenue. They say that the double tracks on this avenue would endanger the lives of seven hundred tourist guests who fill the Hotel Greene almost every day during the season. These gentlemen also contend that the wishes of property owners generally on Raymond avenue are not being considered in this matter. Should sufficient strength be developed for the opposition it might seriously impede the whole scheme of double tracking the downtown district, as Raymond avenue is the main entrance for electric railway traffic in the city, as the cars of the Short Line and the Garvanza branch use this highway.

Through an agreement reached yesterday between Mayor Earley and the Home Telephone Company, the city police department will be equipped with telephone service. The present plan is to install thirty-two telephones for patrolmen and the necessary switchboard at a cost of \$32, and \$1 additional for each telephone up to the limit of the switchboard of fifty phones.

PASADENA NOTES.

At the local postoffice the electric mailing machine for first-class letters today registered 2,000,000 mailed since January 9 of this year, making a record of about 10,000 letters leaving this city daily.

Rev. William McCormack, pastor of All Saints Church, will start for the Triennial General Convocation in the latter part of the week.

As a venture in sport for sports-sake George W. Braden, physical director of the Y.M.C.A., has formed an indoor baseball league in this city in which the members of the Y.M.C.A. are represented. The teams will be formed under the A.L.N.A. rules and players will be required to register as amateurs. Those present at the first meeting were Harry Caylor, representing the First Presbyterian school; Edward Murphy, First Methodist; Clayton Carus, Lake-avene Congregational; Guy Crump, First Congregational; Howard S. Smith, Lake-avene Methodist; Ernest Lawe, First Christian; David T. Gilmore, All Saints Episcopal; Wilbur Smith, Lincoln-avene Methodist, and H. E. Thomas, First Baptist.

Twenty experts of the Y.M.C.A. will hold their second annual tournament beginning next Saturday at 1:30 o'clock in the afternoon. The drawing for contestants will take place this evening.

At a meeting of the Board of Trade

last night the accounts of the Pasadena picnic were audited and the board said the bill came out at about \$1200 worth of tickets and their percentage sufficed to cover the expenses and a little more. The expenses of the affair were \$225. Of course these expenses covered the price of the refreshments which were all given by the merchants and the people of the city.

Go to Coronado Tent City. See Phelps for fine wall paper. Photo supplies, Morris-Thurston Co. Artist materials at Wadsworth.

WOMAN IN FLAMES.

Accident in Long Beach Comes Near Causing Death of Victim of Gas Stove.

LONG BEACH, Aug. 19.—The quick wit of Mrs. Edgar F. Nason of Colorado Springs saved her from a horrible death this morning, but is painfully burned about the face and hands.

Mrs. Nason had commenced preparations for luncheon and touched a match to the gas range in her apartments at the Kennebec. The flame leaped high into the air and Mrs. Nason's clothing caught fire and spread rapidly, burned her dress then ran up to the face and hair.

Shrieking with pain and terror, the victim seized a rug and wrapping it about her head, threw herself upon the floor, and rolling about smothered the fire, aided by other roomers attracted by her cries. Medical attention was promptly given and the attending physicians say the burns, while painful, will not prove serious.

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HARBARA. Aug. 19.—The passenger train No. 21, which yesterday morning, about 10 o'clock, arrived at San Luis Obispo, near San Luis Obispo, has been cleared and the work on either side allowed to proceed. No. 22, bound south, passed through here with Mrs. M. D. Plumbe, who was severely injured in a collision with a car. The accident occurred at San Luis Obispo Friday night while she was driving and a party of friends. The party was driving and Mr. Harbin sighted a flock of doves and got out and chased away with one barrel. The birds circled him and he turned and shot again at them. At this time he was in line with the rig. One shot struck Harbin in the left eye and another in the nose. Today a specialist examined her eye and pronounced the injury serious.

Big catches of tuna at Coronado. Venice villas, reasonable rates.

IDYLLWILD. Aug. 19.—Mrs. Grace Clark, Mrs. J. T. Gale and Mr. and Mrs. Clark, of Los Angeles and Hollywood were at Idyllwild Saturday evening at their camp beneath the oaks and pines. The plates were of rustic bark caught with oak leaves. Each guest was given a little cup made of hollowed bark and filled with thick apple juice. The meal was part of one course of the mountain feast. Slices of cheese pressed between two acorns were given to the guests and willow twigs upon which to toast the bread, which was afterward eaten with hot toasted butter. Among the guests were Mr. and Mrs. Louis Meyer and children, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob and children, Mrs. Koll, Miss Marie Koll, Walter Koll, Mr. Williams, Miss Lily Meyer, Mrs. Bantag and Miss Bantag.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Meyer of Los Angeles celebrate the fourteenth anniversary of their marriage Saturday morning by entertaining a number of their camp neighbors. Informal at breakfast time, the party at their mountain home on Fifth avenue.

A party left Monday for San Jacinto Peak, those going being Miss Crawford, Miss Macy, Miss Tower, Mrs. Mattison, Dr. F. C. E. Mattison of Pasadena; Mr. and Miss Beach, Los Angeles; the Misses Roth, St. Louis.

Dr. Walter Lindley came up Saturday to spend the week end in camp. On Sunday he was joined by Mr. C. Hopkins and J. W. Burns, Miss Anna Arens of Pasadena was among those coming Saturday for a short stay.

One day this week Mrs. Freisner of Los Angeles will entertain with a chili-dinner party at the home of the Three Browns, as the three little sons of Mr. and Mrs. Fred O. Engstrum of Los Angeles are called.

Tuna plentiful at Coronado. Venice villas, reasonable rates.

ELGINORE. Aug. 19.—Petitions have been filed for the installation on C and F streets of ornate lighting plants. The plan is for the lighting plant at the entrance to the building.

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FRUIT, GRAIN AND PRODUCE

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SAN FRANCISCO. (Continued) - Apples -
berries - Strawberries - 10c; apples - 15c;
pears - common, 5c; cran. apply. 10c;

Grapes - Ordinary, 75c; fancy, 10c;

Pears - Common, 5c; fancy, 10c;

Peaches - Common, 10c; fancy, 15c;

Plums - Common, 5c; fancy, 10c;

Mor. - Mexican lime, 40c;

Lemons - Common, California, 20c; fancy, 50c;

Oranges - Common, 25c; fancy, 50c;

Tropical Fruits - Bananas, 10c; pineapples, 25c;

Coconuts, 25c; mangoes, 50c;

Pineapple, 25c; guava, 10c;

Potatoes - Early Rose, 10c; 20c; new potatoes, 25c;

Onions - Fancy, 25c;

Garlic - Common, 10c;

Cucumbers - Fancy, 25c;

Bitter - Fancy, creamy, 25c;

Dates, dairy, 25c; seconds, 25c;

Figs, dried, 25c; eastern, 25c; Young

America, 17c;

Avocados - Ranch, 25c; eastern, 15c;

Poultry - Roasters, old, 40c; young, 25c;

Young, 25c; chickens, 15c;

Young, large, 25c; old, 40c; young, 25c;

Ducks, young, 15c;

Geese, 15c;

Alfalfa, 15c;

Wheat - Shipping, 1.65¢/50, milling, 1.80c;

Rice - Feed, 1.30¢/50; brewing, 1.31¢;

Oats - Red, 1.50¢/50; white, 1.45¢/50; black,

Millets - Middlings, 27c; 30c; mixed feed,

rolled barley, 27c; 30c; oatmeal, 25c;

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